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**PROPOSED CLAIMS AMENDMENT**

32. (Currently Amended) An ear probe tip for [the end of] a probe having an end with a length which can be ~~asserted~~ inserted into an ear canal, the ear probe tip comprising:  
a body portion ~~having~~ defining a first flangeless end and a second end <sup>new</sup> and being of substantially the same length as said probe end;  
~~an inner surface, an outer surface, a first end and a second end, the inner surface of~~  
the body portion defining a passage configured to receive substantially the entire length of  
said [the] probe end from the second end toward the first flangeless end, and the passage  
extending and incrementally increasing in size from the first end toward the second end;  
an outer surface of the body portion; and  
~~at least one flexible~~ [an] at least one flexible annular flange disposed on the outer  
surface.

40. (Currently Amended) An ear probe tip for [the end of] a probe having an end with a length which can be inserted into an ear canal, the ear probe tip comprising: